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Court Reporter to Accompany City Attorney to SDCERS Special Closed Session Meeting

MEDIA ADVISORY:

This afternoon City Attorney Michael Aguirre will ask the San Diego City Employees' Retirement System (SDCERS) Board to allow a court reporter to record the minutes of their special closed session meeting during which board members will discuss two lawsuits filed last week dealing with the pension funding crisis. With a court reporter present, the public is assured that the SDCERS Board will be dissuaded from any thought of discussing issues that were not publicly noticed. In general, California's Brown Act prohibits governmental entities from discussing matters that are not publicly noticed 48 hours in advance.

Last year, the San Diego City Council began recording their closed session meetings. Closed session minutes can be made public only when a government entity waives the attorney-client privilege.

TIME & DATE: Today at 4 p.m.

LOCATION: SDCERS office, 401 B Street, Suite 400, downtown San Diego

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